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TITLE OF INVENTION: IMAGE EXTRACTING METHOD, IMAGE EXTRACTING APPARATUS, AND PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING THE METHOD

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